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Re: **Rule 116 Amendment in SN 10/695,520**

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In re Application of: **Singhal**

Serial No: **10/695,520**

Group art Unit: **1751**

Filed: **10/28/2003**

Examiner: **Nguyen, Tri V.**

Atty. Docket: **NEI-303**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents

Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action of November 20, 2007 Applicants hereby submit the following amendment.

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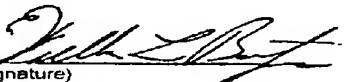
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On March 20, 2008 (Date)

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A. Introductory Comments

Based on the above amendments and the remarks that follow, reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

This amendment is responsive to the office action dated November 20, 2007. In the office action, the claims were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e)/103(a) as being unpatentable over Armand and/or Chiang. A request for a one month extension of time for response is also included herewith.

The claims have been amended as set forth in the next section.

Any fees required by this amendment including the extension of time fee are to be charged to Deposit Account No. 502874.